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AUTHORIZATIONS -
LANGUAGE LESSONS

21 June 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR SPECIAL OPERATIONS

VIA: TRD

FROM: Chief, FDP [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED], Request for Authorization for
Intensive Language Instruction

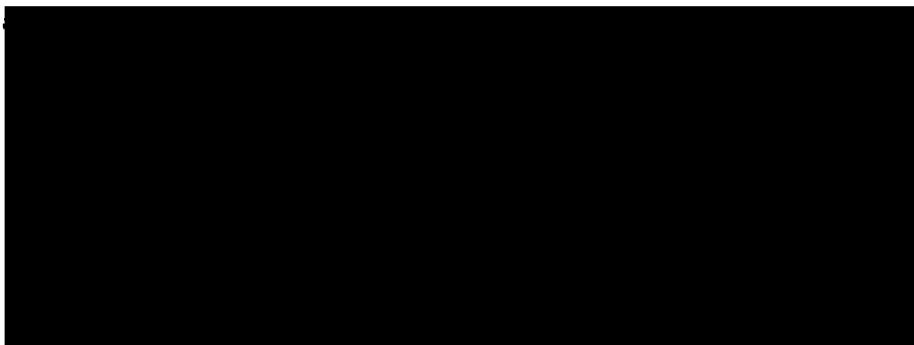
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1. It is desired that authorization be given for [REDACTED] to secure an intensive course of instruction in oral [REDACTED] The justification for this request is as follows:

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b. [REDACTED] has a good basic knowledge of [REDACTED] acquired through private study at the Institute of Linguistics, Georgetown University under the GI Bill. He is not entitled to further benefits under this Bill.

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c. In order that he may be properly equipped to perform his mission in the field, it is desired that he receive two month's intensive instruction in spoken [REDACTED] such instruction to be oriented to the vocabulary and style of conversation best adapted to interrogation work. It is believed that such instruction would be more satisfactorily accomplished in the time available by private instruction at the Institute of Linguistics, Georgetown University than by attendance at the Foreign Service Institute.

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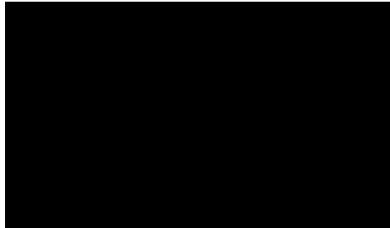
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d. It is believed that the cost of this instruction will not exceed \$250.

2. It would be appreciated if this authorization may be granted at the earliest practical time.

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